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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

14 In Re:
15 ANDREW B. PLATT and RUTH ANN PLATT
16 Debtor(s).

Case No. BK-S-19-17282-abl
Adversary Proceeding: 19-01122-abl
Chapter 7

17 WOODS & ERICKSON, LLP, a Nevada
18 Limited Liability Partnership, d/b/a WOODS
19 ERICKSON & WHITAKER, LLP, et al,

Plaintiff,

20 vs.

21 ANDREW B. PLATT, an individual, et al,
22 Defendants.

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO
REMAND TO STATE COURT**

23 Creditor, WOODS & ERICKSON, LLP d/b/a WOODS ERICKSON & WHITAKER, LLP
24 (“WEW” or “Firm”), by and through its attorneys, GERRARD COX LARSEN, and Debtor,
25 ANDREW B. PLATT (“Platt”), hereby stipulate and agree, as follows:

26 WHEREAS, on May 23, 2018, the Firm filed a lawsuit in the Eighth Judicial District Court,
27 Clark County, Nevada, Case No. A-18-774926-C (“State Court Action”) against Platt (among
28 others);

1 WHEREAS, on November 13, 2019, with the State Court Action pending, Platt filed for
 2 Chapter 7 Bankruptcy, commencing the underlying bankruptcy action (Case No. 19-17282-abl);

3 WHEREAS, the Firm then removed its State Court Action to this Court on December 13,
 4 2019 (Case No. 19-01122-btb);

5 WHEREAS, on December 27, 2019, the Firm's non-dischargeability complaint was then
 6 filed, on the basis of 11 U.S.C. 523(a)(4) and 523(a)(6). (Case No. 19-01125-abl);

7 WHEREAS, on May 18-21, 24-25, 2021, the Court conducted the trial in this matter;

8 WHEREAS, on July 29, 2021, the Honorable Bruce T. Beesley verbally announced his
 9 decision in favor of the Firm, and stated that this case (Case No. 19-01122) needs to be remanded
 10 back to the State Court Action upon entry of judgment, stating:

11 Any further matters in this case need to be handled in state court
 12 because they're basically state court matters, and that's it.

13 WHEREAS, on August 26, 2021, a Judgment was entered against Platt and in favor of the
 14 Firm in the non-dischargeability matter (19-01125) and the main bankruptcy (19-17282); and

15 WHEREAS, on September 9, 2021, Platt filed a Notice of Appeal with respect to the
 16 Judgment.

17 The undersigned hereby stipulate and agree to entry of the following order:

18 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Case No. 19-01122-abl, filed in the United States
 19 Bankruptcy Court for the District of Nevada, be remanded back to the Eighth Judicial District Court
 20 of Nevada for Clark County (Case No. A-18-774926-C).

21 DATED this 20th day of September, 2021.

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